

Elmerwood Iowa  
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Dear Carrie:

June and I are so busy we hardly have time to turn around but every thing is going fine.

The expenses are coming fine. I want to get some little thing for Mildred + June and Baby Maurice for <sup>Christmas</sup> it won't crank us a bit because we've got plenty of surplus. Do you think it better? I've got a ginger bread in the oven now for dinner.

we're going to have Steak + dressing, potatoes + gravy apple salad, ginger bread and rice. Isn't that some dinner?

I'm sure having an awful



time trying to keep warm  
at night. I've been sleeping  
on the couch lately but it  
doesn't seem to help much.

I told June this morning  
that I'd never pass on  
other winter "snigs".

Say mamma I think  
you had better get June  
that Cutex set. I know  
she wants it. Could you  
suggest some little thing  
I could get for her as  
Midge. We could count  
it from Bill & I back.

I haven't been down to see  
Mr. Masters yet but I  
think I'll go tomorrow.

June is having those  
kids practice up here



tonite. She's coming fine  
with the play. We'll  
have to stop now and help  
June.  
Write soon & tell me what  
to do about those Knicker  
presents.

Bud



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